LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on TUESDAY, MARCH 30, 2004, upon the application of BASS ENTERPRISES PRODUCTION CO.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Formation**, **Reservoir A and Cotton Valley Formation**, **Reservoir A**, in the Caspiana Field, Caddo and DeSoto Parishes, Louisiana.

- 1. To permit applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) additional alternate unit wells for HOSS RA SUB and for CV RA SUB at the locations shown on the plats submitted with the application.
- 2. To approve an exception to the well location provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 191-B, effective April 15, 1975 (applicable to the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A) and of Office of Conservation Order No. 191-A, effective February 15, 1975 (applicable to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A), for either of the proposed wells the location of which does not comply with the well location provisions in said Orders.
- 3. To find that each of the proposed additional alternate unit wells is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A underlying HOSS RA SUB and the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A underlying CV RA SUB, which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within such units.
- 4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Caspiana Field, Caddo and DeSoto Parishes, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 191-A, effective February 15, 1975.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the Caspiana Field, Caddo and DeSoto Parishes, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 191-B, effective April 15, 1975.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 3/3/04;3/6/04

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION

AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.